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# REPORT

Of the expenses of supporting the county paupers for the County of  
Belknap, for the year ending March 1. 1869

County of Belknap in account with the Commissioners for the support  
of Paupers.

By cash drawn from County Treasury	\$8 037 35
Received on Stock, &c., sold from Farm	159 11
	\$8 196 46

## CASH PAID FOR THE SUPPORT OF EXTERNAL POOR, MARCH TERM, 1868.

Town of Alton for support of Julia A Wiggin	\$60 00
“ “ “ J P Kimball and family	84 03
“ “ “ Mary Durgin	28 00
“ Barnstead “ John Ellis	65 76
“ Centre Harbor “ Haddock family	58 32
“ Laconia “ Ellen Leavitt	21 00
“ Gileford “ James Quimby	137 75
“ Laconia “ Hattie Cogswell	28 00
“ New Hampton “ Betsey W Swain	91 39
“ Barnstead “ West family	101 50
“ Gileford “ Sarah Sanborn	8 00
“ Barnstead “ J N Colby	5 00
“ “ “ Deborah Babb	49 75
John S Wallis for digging grave for Mrs Hannah Chapman	6 00
T S Foster for medical aid to Mrs Chapman	10 40
“ “ “ Mrs Snow	4 00
D F & J C Moore “ Mrs Sweetsur	13 25
“ “ “ Mrs Sanders	2 25
“ “ “ William Lewis	9 50
J Gilbert for coffin and robe for Mrs H Chapman	8 75
I W Lougee for medical aid to Mrs J P Kimball	3 00
Town of Alton for supplies to J P Kimball	30 00
Elisha Wadleigh for support of J Richards and wife	25 00
I W Lougee medical aid to Aaron Varnham	8 00
Otis Beaman shoes to Mrs Laffitt	5 25
R S Stanton support of Mrs J Gove	30 00
C L Prescott for milk to Mrs Snow	4 65
Town of Barnstead for support of Sally Hill	61 25
“ Sanbornton “ H J Crockett	25 00
“ “ “ Polly Dinsmore	20 00
Albert Elliott for support of Langley Boy	26 19
D Bowman for house rent to Mrs Snow	12 00
A J Thompson for medical aid to Mrs Snow	6 00
“ “ “ Mrs Bockham	8 25
J W Sanborn for supplies to Rollins family	20 00
Moses P Moulton for support of Mahala Whittier	22 88
J H Tilton & Co for supplies to Mrs H Chapman	42 71
A G Folsom for Robe for Mrs C Rollins	7 00
I Wentworth for support of Willie Allen	26 00
R E Merrill for medical services at Farm	33 25
J Blake for medical aid to Mrs T. Beck	8 75
“ “ “ Mrs A Varuham	1 00
Luther Gallop for support of Frank Swain	25 00
Dana Woodman for supplies to paupers	37 95
Wm Boswell for supplies to S Thurston	13 00
Moses O Seavey for support of S C Bunker	40 00
A Jones & Co for supplies to Mrs Saunders	4 00
“ “ “ Rollins family	14 00
“ “ “ John Quimby	3 00
William Dyer for supplies to paupers and per bill	97 92
J S Neal for supplies to H Moulton	3 50
I W Lang & Co for supplies to H Moulton	23 11
Town of Meredith for supplies to F E Hall	7 75
“ “ “ Paupers	4 65
J Aldrich & Co for supplies to Mrs Sweetsur	20 00
Lindsey & Weeks for medical aid to Mrs Clifford's family	22 50
“ “ “ Lewis family	9 75
Nahum Wight “ J M Clifford	12 00
“ “ “ for coffin, &c., for N Robinson's child	7 55
“ “ “ for medical aid to Samuel Twombly	2 00

Nahum Wight for medical aid to E Danforth	2 50
George Montgomery " Mrs Mary Durgin	17 00
" " William Willard	19 80
" " Mrs Willard	14 18
" " Dudley Weeks	18 23
" " Daniel Downs	20 73
Nahum Wight " Dudley Weeks	3 75
Town of Gilmanton for supplies to I A Downs	5 00
" " E Danforth	27 54
" " Mrs Paul Twombly	21 50
" " Dudley Weeks	10 00
Oliver Goss for medical aid to Mrs Sweetsur	3 00
" " Eliza Merrill	2 25
" " Samuel Davis	2 00
George A Wilder for supplies to Geo Dockham	8 52
" " Ellen Leavitt	21 00
" " C C Merrill	5 00
B M Sanborn " John Quimby	5 00
" " Eliza Merrill	10 50
" " David Swain	3 00
L H Chase " J S Davis	3 54
Town of New Hampton " H Stevens' family	20 00
M H Merrows " Mrs Moses Rollins	6 23
" " Moses Mitchell	13 93
" " F E Hall	10 02
Lane Plummer " Stephen Smith	7 61
" " F E Hall	6 72
S Moses for boots for transient paupers	1 50
A G Morrison for support for Moses Rollins and wife	5 57
E G Kelley for supplies for transient paupers	5 00
Town of Gilford for supplies to Horace Merrill	20 00
" " David Swain	6 50
" " transient paupers	8 37
W L Glidden " Stephen Smith and wife	7 30
M H Merrow " Betsy W Swain	53 64
Nancy Mitchell for nursing, &c., "	15 00
George W Saunders for supplies to Mrs Sweetsur	5 00
B F Dow for assistance to Sweetsur family	35 00
C E Munn medical aid to Mrs B W Swain	8 50
Mrs M Drew nursing, &c " "	21 67
Martha Varnum " Mrs Mary Durgin	2 50
Mrs Jenney " "	12 00
Miss M J Ellis " "	2 00
Mary Young " "	4 00
H A Flint for support of Nancy E Saunders	13 00

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# CASH PAID FOR THE SUPPORT OF EXTERNAL POOR SEPTEMBER TERM, 1868.

Town of Meredith for support of Sally Bryant	\$14 50
" " " Betsey McCrillis	23 25
" " " J Pearsons and wife	89 00
" " " E Berry and family	47 00
" " " Dorcas Haskell	24 62
" Barnstead " Isaac Garland	30 73
" Alton " N J Clough	11 00
" " " Adda Peavy	57 00
" Centre Harbor " Polly Cram	42 50
" Gilmanton " Eliza Thompson	36 00
" " " Cordelia M Lamprey	18 00
" " " C F Smith and family	36 14
" " " Hannah Dicey	12 00
" " " L C Hill and family	8 71
" Sanbornton " H H Dyer	15 00
" " " Wm Smith	15 00
" Upper Gilmanton " M R Russell	26 03
" " " Hannah Ladd	26 03
" Laconia " Cleffie Curtis	30 00
" " " Lucinda Wiser	24 50
" " " Henry A Swain	12 70
" Sanbornton " John Sanders	15 00
" " " Hannah Marston	15 00
" " " Charlott Dalton	15 00
" " " Susan Leavitt	15 00



Town of Sanbornton for sup. of	Ann Greenleaf	80 00
" New Hampton "	Benj Evans and family	18 50
" " "	I I Wells	5 00
" " "	J T Webster and family	12 75
" Sanbornton "	Emma Chapman	77 50
" " "	F E Chapman	71 50
" Gilford "	Dudley P Osgood	21 25
" " "	Francis S Davis	23 75
" Laconia "	David Graves	23 47
" Gilford "	C H Merrill	76 25
" " "	Hannah Thurston	26 25
" " "	Mehitable Thing	4 50
" " "	Mary Hill	26 25
" Centre Harbor "	Polly Morse	15 12
" Sanbornton "	James Smith	28 50
" " "	Mehitable Burleigh	19 00
" Barnstead "	Timothy Blake and wife	7 00
George A Wilder supplies to	Ellen Leavitt	48 00
A Elliott support of	Langely boy	30 47
RS Stanton support and burial of	Mrs H Gove	25 00
Town of Meredith for board of	paupers	12 99
M O Seavey for support of	S C Bunker	25 00
Town of Barnstead for support of	Sally West	15 00
Town of Barnstead for support of	Deborah Babb	30 44
George Sanborn for medical aid to	Mrs S Smith	1 75
N E True for medical aid to	Mrs A Clark	2 00
Town of Alton for board of	paupers &c	77 25
Town of Alton for support of	Varnham family	6 00
Jones & Sawyer for supplies to	Mary Durgin	6 70
E Wadleigh for support of	J Richards and wife	40 00
L D Young for support of	Hattie Cogswell	26 00
Oliver Goss for medical aid to	E Merrill	3 00
Nahum Wight " "	C F Smith	15 00
" " " "	James Twombly	5 00
" " " "	Mrs Paul Twombly	2 50
" " " "	Mrs E Danforth	2 50
Town of Gimanton for support of	Mrs Paul Twombly	6 20
J H Gilman for support of	Daniel Downs	8 28
Luther Gallop for support of	Frank Swain	12 50
R E Merrill for medical aid at	farm	27 75
Wm Dyer for supplies to	Mrs Swain Mrs Rollins and others as per bills	38 66
" " " "	Mrs Betsy W Swain	27 50
D S Prescott for medical aid to	Crossan family	14 89
" " " "	Hall family	17 50
" " " "	Clark family	35 18
J Blake " "	D Downs	1 00
" " " "	Mary Durgin	39 00
H A Flint for support of	Nancy Sanders	13 00
George L Mead for supplies to	Stephen Smith and wife	8 03
" " " "	F E Hall and wife	8 16
" " " "	E Leavitt	12 00
" " " "	Eliza Merrill	9 97
" " " "	Mrs A Clark	4 16
" " " "	Henry Moulton and family	44 57
C C Merrill " "	Eliza Merrill	26 00
A J Thompson medical aid to	Henry A Swain	19 50
Town of New Hampton medical aid to	Betsy W Swain	7 20
George Montgomery medical aid to	I Garland	15 06
" " " "	D Downs	19 25
N L True " "	Ann Greenleaf	20 00
David H Knight for board and nursing	Ann Greenleaf	7 50
H H Sleeper for supplies to	Sarah Sanborn	10 00
" " " "	Transient paupers	5 40
T S Foster for medical aid to	Snow family	18 00
D Churchill for supplies to	Mrs M B Russell	3 48
J H Fifield for support of	Mrs M B Russell	22 37
" " " "	Mrs H Ladd	22 37
C A Dockham for supplies to	Colby boy	3 75
" " " "	Mrs D Babb	8 43
Nathaniel Davis for support of	F S Davis	6 00
Town of Meredith for support of	paupers as per bill	120 32
J H Sanborn medical aid to	Mrs M Stevens	10 12
" " " "	E Berry	10 50
Charles Wiser for support of	Lucinda Wiser	10 50
George L Mead for supplies to	Snow family	15 73

A Elliott for support of Langley boy	22 12
Nathaniel Davis support of F S Davis	7 50
H A Flint for support of Mrs Saunders	13 00
Town of Centre Harbor for support nursing and burial of Poly Cram	50 00
Town of Sanbornton for support of H H Dyer William Smith	50 00
Hannah Marston and clothing for same	
H W Peaslee for supplies to Charles Smith	6 80
Thomas Cogswell for supplies to Charles Smith	7 44
Jacob Tenney for support of Ann Greenleaf	47 00
S C Robinson for wood to Dorcas Haskell	7 00
A J Farrar for supplies to Dorcas Haskell	22 00
Town of Barnstead for support of West boys	9 63
" " " Deborah Babb	8 00
" " " Benj Elliott	6 00
J M Phillbrook wood to Dorcas Haskell	6 00
George W Thompson aid to G W Fowler and family	12 96
J W Cogswell aid to Charles Smith	3 00
Town of Meredith for support of John B Swain and wife	69 49
" " " Jonas S Buzzell	42 00
" " " A A Buzzell	3 75
" Gilford " Rebecca Barnes	32 10
" Gilford " Chas. W. Davis	65 88
Nat'l Davis " F S Davis	6 00
" Meredith " J Parsons and wife	3 50
" " " Betsy McCrillis	23 25
" " " E Berry and wife	18 00
" " " S Smith	1 75
" Gilford " E Willey	27 35
" " " D P Osgood	11 25
" " " Hannah Thurston	8 12
" " " Mary Hill	8 12

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## COMMISSIONERS IN ACCOUNT WITH COUNTY FARM.

To am't of inventory of personal property March 1, 1868	\$2 971 87
To am't of bills paid out as per vouchers, the same being drawn from the Treasury, including Ag'ts salary	3 078 06
Interest on cost of Farm	330 00—6 379 93
By amount of inventory of personal property March 1, '60	\$3 758 60
By amount of stock sold from Farm	159 11
" board of prisoners	97 32
" Laconia paupers	19 80—4 034 83
Whole amount for support of paupers	\$2 345 19
Average number of paupers	41 1-2
Cost of each pauper per year	\$56 50
" " " week	1 09

## RECAPITULATION.

Cash paid out for external poor, March Term, 1868	\$2 082 61
Cash paid out for external poor, Sept Term, 1868	2 876 68
Cash paid out for farm bills including Agents salary	3 078 06
	\$8 037 35
Cash paid out as received from stock, &c	159 11
	\$8 196 46
By whole amount drawn from the Treasury	\$8 037 35
By cash received from stock, &c., sold from Farm	159 11—8 196 46

In presenting their report the Commissioners would state, briefly, that owing to the change in the pauper laws, passed last June session, abolishing all town settlements gained prior to 1840, the number of County Paupers were increased, nearly one hundred having been adjudged during the year, thus subjecting the County to great inconvenience for the time being. To accommodate this influx, additions to the County Farm have been made, by putting an additional story on the ell of the house, by which sixteen rooms are obtained, with other improvements for the convenience and comfort of the inmates, all of which has been done with a strict regard to economy. This outlay necessarily enhanced the expense of the County, but it should be remembered that in proportion as paupers have been added to the County, from towns, the expenses of those towns have been lessened.

In conclusion the Commissioners take pleasure in congratulating the tax payers on the management of the County Farm, under the charge of our experienced Agent, Mr. Stephen Shannon, and particularly his excellent wife, who seems in every respect to be well adapted to oversee the affairs of such an institution.

Names and ages of Paupers at Farm from March 1, 1868 to March 1, 1869

MALES. — Levi Merrill 80, Enoch Flanders 52, Jere Corner 66, Chase Pike 74, Jacob Pickering 85, Thomas Bickford 86, William Adams 72, John Dolan 8, Geo. E. Varney 10, Benj. Libby, dec. 87, James Quimby 65, Benj. Elliott 78, Barnard Hoyt 81, Hez. Crockett 76, David Graves 20, J. Parsons 70, Martin West 26, Orrin West 49, F. Chapman 8 mo, N. C. Norris, dec. 86, H. H. Dyer 62, Wm. Smith, dec. 70, D. P. Osgood 62, Eben Swain 75.

FEMALES. — P. Willey, dec. 84, H. Merrill 42, R. Davis, dec. 76, M. A. Ladd 49, H. Cross 75, A. Gilman, dec. 76, O. Hill 53, L. Love t 67, S. Coffin 53, S. Fervier 68, M. Moulton 55, L. Pike 69, O. Caswell 69, R. Nutter 21, M. Elkins 55, B. Ellsworth 53, M. Lord 38, S. Vaughan 88, M. Busiel, dec. 89, H. Welch 86, M. F. Swain 16, E. Merrill 8, S. A. Duckham 66, S. Parsons 58, E. Thompson 58, H. Marston 79, F. E. Chapman 29, E. J. Weston 4, M. Thine, dec. 89, H. Thurston 81, M. Hill.

J. W. COGSWELL, RICHARD GOVE, GEO. L. MEAD, Com'rs.





